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SUICIDE

C. F. Gurnsey of Keene, N. H., Ends his life by Shooting

HIS REASON UNKNOWN

Charles F. Gurnsey, 23 years old, of Keene, N. H., shot himself in the office of the Suburban hotel here Saturday, and died within half an hour.

Gurnsey arrived at the hotel Friday night and registered as D. T. Hall, Boston. He appeared to have been drinking. He was given a room and did not reappear until about 10 o'clock in the morning, when he came down to breakfast.

Just before noon J. C. Fowler, manager of the hotel, was in the office, telephoning. He saw Gurnsey enter the room and immediately afterward heard a shot. Turning, he saw Gurnsey lying on the floor with a revolver beside him. Mr. Fowler was in communication with the police station and immediately called for a physician and an officer. Dr. Keegan was summoned, but the man died within 10 minutes after his arrival.

Medical Examiner Durrall was notified. From papers found in the dead man's pocket it was thought he might be Charles F. Gurnsey of Keene, N. H. Keene was communicated with by telephone, and it was found that such a man lived there. Later in the day he was identified.

Gurnsey was a member of the firm of Gurnsey Bros., bakers and confectioners, in Keene, one of the largest firms in New Hampshire. His father, Edward J. Gurnsey, died about two years ago, leaving a large business responsibility on his son's shoulders. It is said the young man had neglected the business of late. His grandfather also a member of the firm, has had sole charge of the firm's affairs. His mother is still living at Keene.

It is thought that the reason for his act may be found in his strange disregard of a lucrative business, and in his evident mental depressions. It seems probable that there is some secret connected with his life which has yet to be explained. The revolver, which he used, was new and appeared not to have been used before. It was of 32-calibre and contained five loaded shells and one empty.

ARLINGTON LOCALS.

Friday was an unlucky day for the Eureka at the Brockton fair, for while they fell to the fourteenth place in the play-out it is something gratifying that they excelled 21 other associations with 203 feet and 14 inch "squirr." The Gardner Fours lead by a record of 227 feet 6 1/2 inch.

Arlington Council K. of C. will exemplify the first and second degrees at the regular meeting Thursday, evening. On the evening of Oct. 28th the council will attend a joint third degree initiation at Woburn, Winchester, Medford and Arlington will participate. The council will go in a special car.

The Fourth Annual supper of the Samaritan society connected with the Universalist church will be held next Tuesday evening, Oct. 14. The speakers will be Prof. A. W. Peirce of Dean academy Franklin, Mass., Rev. T. A. Fischer of Medford, and Rev. G. I. Keirn, recently of Tokio, Japan. There will also be singing and recitation.

Muggins—Are you going to send your son to college? Buggins—I suppose so. He doesn't seem to be good for anything else.

FETRIDGE FREE

No Testimony Brought Against Him in Woburn Court

BLAMELESS OF LOFTUS' DEATH

Robert F. Fetridge of Arlington was discharged of blame for the death of J. J. Loftus in the Woburn court, Thursday morning, October 2.

Testimony of several witnesses in regard to circumstances attending the killing of Loftus by the car and the associations and operations of the men together during the day; also the testimony of the medical examiner regarding the condition of the body when found, and the Chief of Police regarding his conversation with Fetridge after his arrest, were taken, but no evidence was presented to indicate the possibility of a crime or criminal carelessness, or attach any responsibility or blame for Loftus' death upon the defendant.

Attorney Doyle who represented Fetridge offered no testimony, and the Court finding no evidence against the defendant, ordered his discharge, proving groundless the theory of many that Loftus having fallen from the buggy, was deserted by his companion.

ORDINATION OF PASTOR.

The services of ordination of George W. McCombe, recently called to the pastorate of the Arlington Heights Baptist church took place Tuesday of last week, about thirty members of the Boston North Baptist association being in council for the purpose. The ordination sermon was delivered by the Rev. J. M. English, D.D. The charge to the new pastor was by the Rev. A. N. Dary, a former pastor of this church, and the charge to the church by the Rev. C. H. Spaulding, D.D., formerly of the Arlington church. The Rev. C. H. Watson of the Arlington church presided.

Rev. Mr. McCombe is a graduate of the Newton Theological seminary, and has supplied the church for several weeks.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BENEFITS

On Monday, J. J. Mahoney, Financial Secretary of Arlington Council, Knights of Columbus, delivered to Mrs. J. J. Loftus a check for \$1000 from the Supreme Treasury of the order, being the amount of the beneficiary certificate held by the late J. J. Loftus, who was a member of this council.

Coming at the very opportune time, only eight days after his death, proves the value of the order in the time of need. This is the fourth death of beneficial members within two years and the promptness in payment of the death claims have not only attracted the admiration of the public but have brought no small relief to four fatherless homes.

ENTOMOLOGICAL LECTURE.

It was a small audience that responded to the efforts of Mr. Warren H. Peirce, the local tree warden in securing the lecture by Prof. A. H. Kirkland in the Town hall, Thursday evening.

However, to the few it was a most interesting and instructive talk, illustrated with the stereopticon.

He showed and explained the development of numerous pests, including gypsy and brown-tail moths and the elm beetle, that infest the fruit and shade trees, and their destructive work.

He described the best methods for their extermination and estimated the expenses of same in town. Mr. Peirce in introducing the speaker stated that he had arranged the meeting that the public might be instructed as to the destructiveness of the moths and be prepared to vote intelligently on an article providing for the destruction of nests on private property, that would be inserted in the warrant for the forthcoming town meeting.

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BRAIN AND INTELLECT.

A Subject Which Constitutes a Novel Point in Science.

The exact seat in the brain of the highest intellectual faculties has formed a moot point in science since the functions of the organ of mind began to be investigated with accuracy, says the London Chronicle. The general consensus of opinion localizes what we term "mind" in the prefrontal lobes of the brain, but by another school of thinkers the hinder lobes have been credited with performing our highest cerebral duties. The balance of evidence, I should say, is decidedly in favor of the former view, and recent researches and observations by Dr. Phelps, an American investigator, would appear to assist in strengthening the opinion that the most important portion of the brain is its anterior region. In the courts of investigation in question some 295 cases of brain injury and diseases were examined. In all save two it was noted that interference of extensive nature with the prefrontal region resulted in serious disturbance of the mental faculties. Less severe injury produced less marked effects. These facts parallel the researches of other investigators, and they are further substantiated by what is observed in cases of idiocy connected with a want of development of the frontal lobes of the brain.

As to the relative importance of the two lobes or halves of the cerebrum, or chief brain mass, most of us know that each half governs the opposite side of the body, and that, as we are right handed, so we may be called left brained. The superiority in functional importance of our left brain is not questioned, and it is therefore interesting to find Dr. Phelps insisting, from the results of his investigations, that our left brain lobe is really the intellectual half. The right half, it is added, is capable of sustaining severe injury without marked mental effects supervening, and cases are quoted in support of this fact. Indeed, such cases have frequently puzzled physiologists, seeing that the disturbance of the intellect has in no sense been commensurate with the injury to the brain. On the notion of the greater importance of our left brain and on the theory that severe injuries which do not produce utter mental breakdown really involve the right lobe, the puzzling constitution of the brain may be explained in part at least. But the last word has not yet been said concerning the brain's ways and work. Injuries of the left half do not always produce serious effects as regards the mental life, while we have had some physiologists insisting that we have really two brains, and that while the left lobe is the Jekyll of the intellect, the right on occasion at least, is apt to play the part of Hyde. A fascinating theory this, but one to which sober science is not likely to append its imprimatur.

Fasting for Health's Sake.

We all eat more than we require, and this daily repeated superfluity leads to stodginess. In a more primitive state of society meals were more irregular and the amount of food tallied more with the efforts expended in obtaining it. Now we eat because it is a meal time; to many of us eat not by rule, but to repletion; while probably all of us eat again before we are really hungry. Day after day a little more is taken than is used, and this excess either disturbs the liver or teases the stomach or, circulating in a hyperplastic blood, leads to torpor, or sometimes is put out by—out of harm's way for the time, but much to the distress of the patient later on—in the form of fat. Thus we never have an opportunity of striking a proper balance between intake and output unless we follow the wise maxim of the church and fast once a week—not merely abstaining from the more toothsome delicacies, but fasting honestly even to emptiness and discomfort.—London Hospital.

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ARLINGTON HEIGHTS TO SUBWAY.—5.01 a.m., and intervals of 8, 10, 15 and 20 minutes to 11.20 p.m. (11.30 to Adams sq.) **SUNDAY**—6.01, 6.31 a.m., and intervals of 10, 15 and 20 minutes to 11.20 p.m. (11.30 to Adams sq.)

ARLINGTON CENTRE TO SULLIVAN SQ. TERMINAL via Broadway.—(4.30 a.m., from Clarendon Hill Station to Adams Square.) 5.28 and intervals of 10 and 15 minutes to 12.03 night. **SUNDAY**—6.31 a.m., and intervals of 10 and 20 minutes to 12.03 night. Via Medford Hillside, 5.06, 5.33 a.m., and 10, 15 and 20 minutes to 12.05 night. **SUNDAY**—6.36 a.m., and intervals of 10 and 15 minutes to 12.05 night.

Waverly to Park St. Station (Subway, via Mt. Auburn St.) (3.15, 4.45 a.m. to Adams Sq.), 5.40 a.m. and intervals of 10 and 15 min. to 11.16 p.m. Sunday, 7.12 a.m. and intervals of 10 and 15 min. to 11.16 p.m.

C. S. SERGEANT,

July 26, 1902. Vice-President.

BOSTON & MAINE TIME TABLE.

IN EFFECT JUNE 23, 1902.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE

Lexington—4.40, 5.56, 6.26, 6.56, 7.26, 7.56, 8.31, 8.42, 9.28, 9.59, 11.10 a.m.; 12.09, 12.55, 2.09, **2.35, 3.45, 4.39, 6.36, 8.09, 9.09, 10.09, **2.35, 3.45, 4.39, 5.10, 6.36, 8.09, 9.09, 10.09 p.m. Sunday, 9.14 a.m.; 1.29, 4.25, 7.55 p.m.

Arlington Heights—4.48, 6.05, 6.35, 7.04, 7.34, 8.04, 8.37, 8.58, 10.07, 11.19 a.m.; 12.18, 1.05, 2.18, **2.48, 3.54, 4.45, 5.19, 6.47, 8.18, 9.18, 10.18 p.m. Sunday, 9.24 a.m.; 1.38, 4.35, 8.05 p.m.

Brattle—4.50, 6.08, 6.38, 7.06, 8.06, 8.56, 10.09, 11.21 a.m.; 12.20, 1.07, 2.20, 3.56, 4.48, 5.21, 6.50, 8.20, 9.20, 10.20 p.m. Sunday, 9.27 a.m.; 1.40, 4.38, 8.08 p.m.

Arlington—4.53, 6.12, 6.42, *7.09, 7.12, *7.39, 7.42, 7.56, *8.09, 8.16, *8.41, 9.00, 9.37, 10.12, 11.24 a.m.; 12.23, 1.10, 2.23, **2.47, 3.59, 4.51, 5.24, 5.46, 6.20, *6.58, 6.56, 7.15, 8.23, 9.23, 10.23 p.m. Sunday, 9.30 a.m.; 1.43, 4.40, 8.11 p.m.

Lake Street—4.55, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 7.58, 8.19, 9.03, 10.15, 11.26 a.m.; 12.25, 1.12, 2.25, 4.01, 5.27, 5.49, 6.23, 6.59, 7.18, 8.25, 9.25, 10.25 p.m. Sunday, 9.33 a.m.; 1.45, 4.43, 8.14 p.m.

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THE first specimen of the remarkable long tailed breed of fowls from Japan to be seen in this country was recently received at the American Museum of Natural History. The magnificent tail feathers of this creature measure nearly twelve feet, and are strikingly set forth in comparison with the six-foot figure shown in accompanying illustration. Mr. John Rowley, the taxidermist of the institution, will mount the new acquisition in a characteristic at-



A LONG-TAILED JAPANESE HEN.

titude, after which it will be installed in Bird Hall, where it will form one of the most interesting exhibits of that department. Professor Bashford, Dean of Columbia University, last year visited the locality of the long-tailed fowls and had one grown for the Museum.

The introduction of the breed is said to have been brought about by a prince of Japan, whose imperial crest was a feather. Yearly he offered a prize to the subject who would bring to him the longest feather. The greatest skill and effort were therefore employed by the breeders to produce the greatest length of tail feathers possible. At present only a few old fanciers know the secret process of successfully breeding these fowls. A few authentic details have, however, been obtained in regard to the method of their breeding. The particular breed is confined to a region in and around Kochi, the capital of a province of Tasso. The breed is about a hundred years old and is fast dying out. There is said to be no artificial method of making the feathers grow. All is done by selection. Moreover, one must know how to treat the birds during the various stages of tail growth. The body feathers springing from the shoulders attain a length of four feet. Two years is the time necessary to produce a full growth of tail. The tail feathers grow from four to seven inches a month, and continue to increase as long as the

bird lives, which is usually from eight to ten years. The hens lay about thirty eggs in the spring and autumn, which are hatched by other fowl. The hens are kept housed up, and sit all day on a flat perch, and are taken out only once in two days and allowed to walk half an hour or so, a man holding up the tails to prevent them from being torn or soiled. The birds are fed on unhulled rice and greens, and secret food known and prepared by the old fanciers themselves. They demand plenty of water and are wonderfully tame. The ordinary number of long-tail feathers possessed by each bird is fifteen or sixteen. About twice a day they are carefully washed in warm water, and afterward dried on some high place, usually a roof. The present price is \$50 for a bird having a tail over ten feet long. There are four varieties of the breed: White head and body feathers and tail black; second, white all over, with yellow legs; third, red neck and body feathers; fourth, reddish color mixed with white on body. All these, with the exception of the second variety, have black tail feathers.—Scientific American.

Grass Houses Built by Indians.

The grass houses formerly built by the Wichita Indians of Southern Oklahoma are exceedingly interesting. The grass is gathered early in the spring, when it is yet fresh. The sod cutting usually takes place immediately after a rain, the sod being removed to a thickness of about eight inches. Buffalo grass sod is the only kind that will answer the purpose of the builder.

He commences to lay the foundation as does the stone mason, digging away the earth to a depth of about one foot. The grass portion of the chunks of sod is laid to the outside, and the house is built to a height of twelve to fifteen feet, in the form of a pointed dome. There is no hole in the top for the smoke to pass out, the latter being carried away through a pipe outside of the hut.

The door is usually in the south and there are no windows. Through each tuft of sod is run a willow reed string, and these strings are bound clear around the structure. The grass remains green and will grow if there is plenty of rain. It is not at all uncommon to see the sides of these grass houses turn green as spring approaches, just as do the pastures near them. The houses are warm in winter and cool in summer. They never leak.—Chicago News.

Pine House 800 Years Old.

This is one of the buildings called "staburs," which are to be seen in Telemark, in Norway. They are built of pine wood, and most of them date from the eleventh or twelfth century. They are storehouses for provisions to be



used during the long winters, and contain among other things quantities of the peculiar hard, flat, Norwegian bread or biscuit, which is as thin as a pancake and thirty inches in diameter. Many of these buildings are adorned with artistic wood carving and painted bright red. There are wooden churches of equal antiquity.

The Family Row.

The longest way home is the shortest road to a family row.—New York Press.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1902.

ARLINGTON

OUR BIRTHDAY

With this issue the ENTERPRISE begins a new volume, and in making its appearance upon its fifth birthday anniversary comes in a new and more easily handled form which with numerous other improvements it is believed will meet with the appreciation of its readers. With a view to further improvement the publishing every week of a large amount of matter, which naturally and more properly belongs to a city directory, so infrequently is it referred to, has been discontinued and in its stead, the space has been devoted to interesting literature and general miscellany including features that will prove much more interesting. It is the intention to constantly improve the local news service presenting concisely, and as nearly accurate as possible to obtain, the news, the whole news and nothing but the news, avoiding long drawn elaborations and abstaining entirely from "space writing" and superfluous "padding." As has been the past policy of this paper to stand for no race, creed or party, so it will continue. It is issued at a popular price and intended to be everybody's paper, and at the popular price it will not permit of devoting two-thirds of its space to items of purely personal mention which interest only a few or a select coterie and are no other's business, and it is not the purpose of the ENTERPRISE to use space for personal flattery of people who are more fortunate in the possession of worldly goods than their fellows. The ENTERPRISE intends to stand for everything that will promote the well-being of the community and the betterment of the people. It invites the co-operation of its readers by contributions of news, and communications upon pertinent local subjects intended to promote the best interests of the community.

The noise of steam and trolley cars on a warm evening when windows are open in the Town hall serve to intensify the need of a new Town hall in a more remote place from noise, especially when an interesting speaker is on the platform, as was the case Thursday evening.

McCALL NOMINATED

The renomination of Hon. Samuel McCall, after ten years of service was deserving and the safety of the district is assured in his hands. The willingness with which he would meet the conditions of the coal famine is attested by his announcement that Congress should be convened to repeal the duty on coal. His statement that there is no more justice in taxing a shipload of coal during a coal famine than a shipload of food during a food famine will find a ready response with all. We congratulate the district upon the outcome of the Somerville convention as well as Mr. McCall.

COUNCILLOR NOMINATION

The ENTERPRISE was "on the fence" between the two local candidates for the councillor nomination because two good men were in the contest, but it can not disagree with the Cambridge Chronicle in its following opinion of the result.

"The nomination of Mr. Hoag of Chelsea, as the Republican candidate for councillor in our district, is a gratifying one. The place might have gone to Arlington if the people of that town had had better sense. Mr. Rawson could have had it as well as not. He had been prominently mentioned for the place and had a strong support in many places. At the last moment Mr. Crosby was pushed into the field against him in his own town, and carried it. He was backed by some of the professional politicians of other places who thought they owned the district and supposed they could throw the votes where they chose. But they were mistaken; they could not deliver the goods, and Mr. Crosby was defeated."

It is to be regretted that so few accepted the opportunity offered, to attend the lecture by Prof. Kirkland Thursday evening and the small gathering would seem to indicate a lack of interest in the matter of organizing for systematic work in destruction of the moths and caterpillars which commit so much damage by defoliating the fruit and shade trees. It must have been no small disappointment to Mr. Peirce, the tree warden, in his efforts to secure organized co-operation. The various pests that are ravaging the trees are multiplying at a fearful rate, and it is no small matter the people will find they have to contend with another spring.

Park Avenue Church.

Large audiences were present at Park Avenue church Sunday. It was rally day and good beginning was made.

In the morning the pastor spoke on enthusiasm for the church.

At the Sunday school the largest attendance was present in its history. Superintendent Minot A. Bridgman presided. Each class responded to the roll call.

Mr. J. K. Simpson in a most appropriate speech presented to each scholar a decorated button, and to the young ladies also a silk badge, with the name of the school printed upon it.

Miss Robbins gave an interesting and instructive address. The pastor gave out 150 boxes in which the children are to gather money to buy doors to shut off the S. S. room from the audience room.

The meeting of the Endeavor society carried the enthusiasm of the day to a fine conclusion.

E. W. Nicoll, the president, was in charge. Miss Mae Learned sang appropriate selections.

Addresses were made by Kenneth C. McArthur of Harvard college and Arthur F. Breed of the Heights, and the

pastor. Each address in a large way set forth the gifts of young people and their special opportunity.

Dr. H. T. Babbett has closed the Belvidere sanitarium on the Heights for the winter and returned to Cambridge.

It is rumored that the Robbins Spring Hotel will be closed this winter.

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BELMONT LOCALS.

Mrs. J. Howard Richardson and daughters, Lillian and Helen, are at Washington, D. C., during G. A. R. week.

The Fourteenth Middlesex Republican representative convention was held at Watertown Friday evening, Oct. 3, and Henry W. Seward received the nomination.

L. C. Todd, master mechanic of the Fitchburg railroad, has leased for two years, through C. F. Scott's agency, the house owned by Mrs. Pryor on Orchard street. Mr. Todd is now residing in Marblehead, but will remove with his family the last of the month.

The Ladies' Hospital Aid society met in the Belmont clubrooms Monday afternoon.

Arthur E. Fletcher is attending a college preparatory school in Boston this winter.

Mrs. T. W. Brown, who has been residing in Philadelphia since the death of her husband, will occupy her home on Pleasant street this winter, with her brother and sister. The stable is being converted into a studio for her brother, who is an artist.

Miss Brooks, who has been substituting in the high school during the absence of Miss Burbank, left last Wednesday.

An exhibition of the famous Elson prints is soon to be given in Belmont, the object being to furnish suitable pictures for the Belmont schools.

At a meeting of the board of trustees of the public library last Wednesday evening it was voted to open the smoking room on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from 6:30 p. m. to 9 p. m. The privilege of using the room is restricted to persons over 18 years of age.

The teachers of Belmont may be interested to know that a course of lectures on "School" is being given Saturdays at 11 o'clock a. m., at the Mechanics' fair. Next Saturday Walter Gilman Page will speak on "School Decoration."

The Waltham Savings bank has sold, through C. F. Scott's agency, the Jacob Wilber place on Lexington street to W. A. Lamphear of West Somerville. The owner intends to alter the house for two families and to occupy one part himself.

Oct. 19 is Hospital Sunday at the Belmont churches.

All Saints' church has added to its regular services a vesper service on the last Sunday of each month. Last Sunday evening at 7:30 the first vesper meeting was held.

A committee of the Educational society, which has in charge the matter of a town playground, held a meeting last Friday evening. A circular stating the conditions is being prepared by the committee and will soon be before the public.

Rev. George Hale Reed will be installed as pastor of the Belmont Unitarian church on Thursday evening, Oct. 9, at 7:30 p. m. The following clergymen will assist: Rev. S. M.

Crowthers of Cambridge, Rev. W. W. Fenn of Harvard divinity school, Rev. Walter F. Greenman of Watertown, Rev. Edward Hale of Cambridge, Rev. Alfred R. Hussey of Baltimore, Rev. Frederic Gill of Arlington, and Rev. C. A. Allen of Waverley. A cordial invitation to be present is extended to all.

The Youth's Companion library loan exhibit of original drawings may be seen at the public library, Belmont, from the 2d to the 18th of October. The exhibit comprises 50 examples of the work of modern illustrators and painters, and is very interesting and instructive.

WAVERLEY LOCALS.

The Ladies' Union society met with Mrs. Chas. A. Allen yesterday.

Gustavus Holt will attend the Lawrence Scientific school, Harvard university, this fall.

Mr. Harry C. Stearns is enjoying a month's vacation.

Miss Jennie G. Mason is studying at Miss Simond's Kindergarten Training school, St. Stephen's street, Boston.

Miss Blanche Stewart Minot spent the "week end" at Melrose.

The G. C. Holt house is being renovated prior to the return of the family from their summer home at Hingham.

Rev. George P. Gilman gave a very interesting talk Sunday morning on the coal question, reading to his congregation a letter which he has written to President Roosevelt on this subject.

Miss Sadie Holt returned to Brown university last week.

Miss Augusta M. West has bought out the Cambridge Botanical Supply company. She will have her main depot in Patterson's block, Waverley, but will keep an office in Cambridge.

Rev. Lucy A. Milton, sister of Chas. D. Milton of Burnham street, has been installed pastor of the First Universal-

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Household Matters

Cups For Salads.

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from the top of each and take out the
seeds and white pulp. To make the
cups stand it may be necessary to cut
slices from the bottoms also.

To Make French Dressing Quickly.

Put six tablespoonfuls of oil in a jar
or jelly glass; add to it three table-
spoonfuls of vinegar, half a teaspoon
of salt and a little pepper; cover the
glass and shake violently, and an emul-
sion will be produced immediately;
pour over any salad and sprinkle over
finely chopped parsley.

A Driftwood Blaze.

The beautiful and varying color ef-
fects of a driftwood blaze have served
as a theme for many a narrative and
bit of verse, but driftwood is not al-
ways within reach of those who would
revel in its warmth and brilliancy.
Some ingenious mortal has, however,
compounded a composition, guaranteed
non-explosive, which if scattered over
the hardwood logs in an open fireplace
produces a color effect equal in beauty
and brilliancy to a genuine driftwood
blaze. An open wood fire, either in a
city or country home, possesses an un-
deniable attraction for most people
and when enveloped in a wealth of
color the fascination is apt to be in-
creased.

Advice to Housewives.

Ice box contents are often contamin-
ated and made poisonous by left-over
fruit and vegetables held too long while
bacteria multiply unexpectedly. The
prudent housekeeper will limit her
daily marketing to the day's consump-
tion. Her bills will be lower in con-
sequence and the health of the family
will be better. Only a very small
number of fruits can be safely eaten
uncooked. The cookable are well
known. At the best equipped health
resorts uncooked fruits, except the
lemon, are often wholly forbid. The
cookable fruits are more digestible
cooked, and, if properly cooked, are
also more delicious. One fact is in-
contestable, that fruit permitted to de-
cay where human beings are liable to
breathe the germs which are inevitable
is one of the most potent known causes
of fevers. Decaying fruit in the whole-
sale and retail markets, as well as de-
caying vegetables, should receive daily
attention by the health department.—
Chicago Chronicle.

Emergency Luncheons.

A luncheon was hastily evolved in
a suburban home the other day out of
what seemed an empty larder. A few
cold boiled potatoes, with a pail of
eggs, was all that the hostess found
when she ran to the kitchen and the
ice box to see what there was for
luncheon on the arrival of some un-
expected company, whereupon a dish
of scalloped eggs and potatoes was
suggested. Six eggs were boiled hard,
chilled quickly in ice water and sliced,
some cream sauce prepared and the
potatoes sliced. These three were ar-
ranged in alternate layers in a shallow
baking dish, a covering of bread
crumbs added and baked in a moderate
oven about ten minutes. Brown bread
was sliced thin, buttered and made into
roll sandwiches; cocoa, with whipped
cream, served as a drink, and a dish of
olives and radishes added as a relish.
Fortunately, the dinner strawberries
were in the house, and, with some
tinned sweet biscuit, served for a
dessert.

An excellent luncheon dish unused
by, if not unknown to, most families,
is simply prepared by making desic-
cated codfish into croquettes, instead
of the ordinary fishcakes, and cooking
them in a wire basket in deep fat.
Serve with a garnish of sliced lemon
and parsley, and offer with a bowl of

tartare sauce. This will be found so
novel and delightful as to put it on the
list of things for high days and festi-
vals.

One luncheon dish leads on to an-
other, for suggestions are always in
order for the meal which is of the three
most difficult to plan. This is eggs a
la Caracas. One-half of a pound of
shaved dried beef is mixed with a cup
of tomatoes, two tablespoonfuls of
grated cheese and one of butter, a little
onion juice, salt and pepper; last of
all, four eggs are well beaten together
and stirred in, and the whole is turned
into the frying pan and quickly cooked
until the eggs are set like an omelette.
—New York Evening Post.

RECIPES

Nut Salad—Shell two dozen English
walnuts and throw them into boiling
water. When the skins slip from them
easily remove the nuts from the water
and skin them. Lay the blanched nuts
when cold and crisp, in salad oil for
half an hour, drain and leave them
among the crisp lettuce leaves. Serve
with mayonnaise dressing.

Bearnaise Fillets of Beef—Take fillets
from between the first ribs of beef and
grill carefully. When done, put a little
bearnaise sauce in the bottom of a hot
dish, arrange the fillets on it, glaze
with a little reduced gravy and garnish
the centre with boiled butter beans
tossed in butter. Serve the rest of the
bearnaise sauce in a separate tureen.

A Delicious Sauce—A delicious sauce
for meats, which may be kept through
the winter, calls for a half cup-
ful of sugar to each pound of
the fruit and a spice bag con-
taining half an ounce each of mace,
cloves and cinnamon. Take the stones
from the plums and boil until they
are thick. Damsons are the best for
the purpose.

Blanquette of Lamb—Cut cold cooked
lamb in strips; make a sauce with
three tablespoonfuls each of butter
and flour stirred over the fire until
smooth; add one cupful of stock and
one cupful of milk; stir until boiling;
add salt, pepper, a dash of nutmeg and
one tablespoon of tomato catsup; heat
the meat in this; turn out on a hot
platter; serve around green peas or a
potato border; sprinkle with minced
parsley.

Bats Spread the Plague.

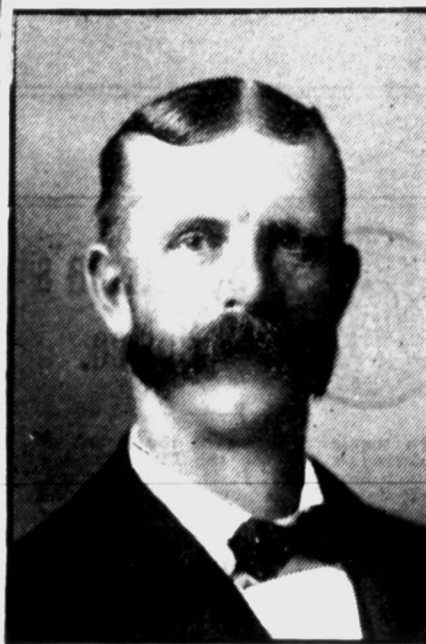
The bat has been accused of a num-
ber of performances to annoy mankind
in the way of killing children and
spreading vermin, but a more serious
charge has recently been made by Dr.
Gosio, a foreign medical writer, who
says the things were responsible for a
small epidemic of bubonic plague. In
a recent paper by him he states that
during bubonic plague in Naples it was
suspected that the disease emanated
from a building completely isolated by
walls from the town, with separate
drainage, and the idea suggested itself
that the infection must have been car-
ried by the numerous bats that were
constantly flying around the building.
Dr. Gosio accordingly made experi-
ments by inoculating specimens of the
bats with very minute doses of the
virus. The result was that in every
case the bats contracted the disease
and died in a comparatively short in-
terval, and on examination all the or-
gans of the dead animal seemed to be
rich in germs. It is suggested that the
numerous parasites with which the
bat is commonly affected may be the
means of propagating the disease.

To Expand Business.

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Harvard astronomical observatory is a
new study table for the director's of-
fice. The table is probably unique
among study tables the world over. It
was worked out by Prof. Pickering
and Mr. W. P. Gerrish, also of the
observatory, and is practically six sep-
arate tables of ordinary size, each pro-
vided with its own bookcase. But in-
stead of having to move around from
table to table, and from shelf to shelf,
tables and book shelves move around
to whoever is using them. These
tables are joined to make one big cir-
cular table which revolves horizontally
on an axis so that each section can be
brought easily within working distance
of a stationary office chair. The book-
case, situated in the centre of the table,
revolves independently, so that any
book may be brought within reach
without disturbing the table itself.

The main axis of the table proper,
the part used as a writing desk and
covered with the materials of the vari-
ous subjects which are constantly tak-
ing up the director's personal attention,
rises from floor to ceiling and turns
slowly around as one section after an-
other passes in review before the sta-
tionary chair in which the director is
seated. Above this table and in the
centre of it is the special library con-
taining all the books and pamphlets
likely to be needed in the day's work.
But there are really six little libraries,
and between each of them another
smaller triangular compartment for
pens, ink, mucilage, letter scales, pa-
per weights, and all the other things
that accumulate on an ordinary desk.

Each section is about four feet long
by two deep, and in addition has two
good-sized drawers for stationary,
stamps, envelopes, measuring charts,
diagrams, photograph slides, and the
other paraphernalia of modern as-
tronomy. One section is, therefore,
for scientific correspondence. Two
sections are devoted to photometry—
the constant record of the light or
brightness of the stars. Another sec-
tion is for studying and comparing the
records of the thousands of spectro-
scopic photographs yearly taken by the
observatory instruments. Another is
devoted to the proof sheets of the ob-
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Scheme by Which Anyone May Send a
Message Over the Wire.

Martin Armstrong, a station agent on
the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railway,
is the inventor of a device by which
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sage over the wire without the least
knowledge of the art. The instrument
is primarily designed for the purpose
of teaching telegraphy and by its use
any one can master the secret of the
dots and dashes without trouble. But
it has other advantages, for a railroad
conductor equipped with one of these
could in case of accident communicate
with a telegraph station, and greatly
facilitate the sending of help. In or-
der to do this he would require no other
skill than the knowledge of the let-
ters of the alphabet and sufficient abil-
ity to compose a message.

The outfit, which can be carried in
the hand, consists of a sounder key,
such as is used in all telegraphic work,
a small dry battery, a transmitter,
stylus and the wires that connect the
various parts. It is the transmitter
that is the wonderful thing about the
whole apparatus. This is simply a
piece of wood about 1 inch long and
eight wide. Extending along one side
of the board are all the letters of the
alphabet followed by the numerals 1 to
0, and the punctuation characters.
Under each one of these characters
there is a little hole or depression in
the wood. Below these holes again

there is a geometrical pattern formed
by strips of metal set into the wood,
with a minute groove leading from
each character through the metal strips
and the wood that at intervals breaks
their continuity.

The stylus, which looks like an or-
dinary pencil, and all the other parts of
the apparatus are connected with the
battery by wires. The novice sets the
apparatus on a table before him, and
takes the stylus in his hand. Inserting
its point in the groove running from
the letter he wishes to make, he draws
it toward him. As it moves the sound-
er clicks the letter. This is done by
the stylus passing over the metal
strips and forming an electrical con-
nection, which is broken for longer or
shorter intervals necessary to make a
letter by the intervening spaces of
wood between the metal strips. A few
weeks of practice on this instrument
and the novice knows the sound of
every letter, and it is only then a mat-
ter of practice to receive and transmit
in the usual manner. The sounder
gives him his opportunity to practice
this, and if he is ever in doubt as to
his correctness he can verify his work
by producing the letter with the
stylus.

QUAINT AND CURIOUS.

In Siberia a winter rainbow some-
times lasts almost all day. It is
caused by fine particles of snow sus-
pended in the air.

Unique properties are possessed by
the River Tinto, in Spain. It petrifies
the sand of its bed, and if a stone falls
in the stream and alights upon an-
other, in a few minutes they unite
and become one stone. Fish cannot
live in its waters.

In the city of Heidelberg, Germany,
there is a building called the Church
of the Holy Ghost, which is unique
in its way, being the only church in
the world in which the Protestant and
Catholic services are held at the same
time, a partition wall through the cen-
tre separating the two congregations.

The members of the United Metho-
dist Free Church, Overton, near Wrex-
ham, England, have hit upon a unique
idea of raising the wind. It was de-
cided to have an egg service, and mem-
bers of the congregation were invited
to bring eggs. Over 1000 which were
placed in and around the pulpit, were
brought and readily sold.

In the centre of a field at Waverhill,
Suffolk, England, is a large flat stone
covering the grave of a mare which
died in 1852, inscribed as follows:
"Polka. She never made a false step.
Ecclesiastes 3, 19th verse." A refer-
ence to chapter and verse shows the
following: "For that which befalleth
the sons of men befallth beasts, even
one thing befallth them; as the one
dieth, so dieth the other." This is
probably the only instance of a text
from the Scriptures appearing on a
memorial stone to an animal.

The monks of the Hospital of St.
Jean de Dieu, Ghent, in their spare
moments have decorated the walls of
the hospital with exquisite pictures
formed entirely of stamps. In these
pictures are forests and streams, pal-
aces and cottages; birds of gorgeous
plumage perch on branches, gaily-col-
ored butterflies flit about, snakes and
lizards glide, and animals of all kinds
figure in the landscapes. The monks
have already used no fewer than 10,-
000,000 stamps in this unique form of
art.

Amusement.

"You say you are making garden
simply for amusement?"
"Yes," answered the patient man.
"But there isn't any amusement in
spading and stooping for hours!"
"Yes, there is. It amuses my wife
and children immensely."—Washing-
ton Star.

Worked to Death.

If there is one word more than an-
other we long to open the back door
of a hearse for, and slide it gently in,
it is the word "ge-lial."—Atchison
Globe.

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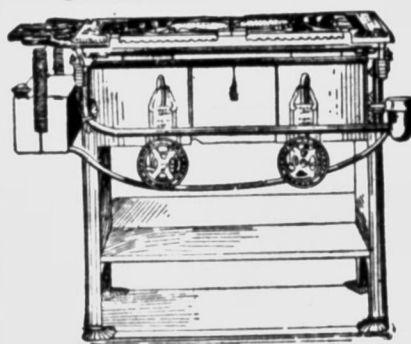
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AROUND THE HUB

(Special Correspondent.)

Mayor Collins' prompt action in the impending fuel famine is commended on all hands. The relief committee appointed by him has commenced its task, holding its first meeting at city hall and organizing with Major Henry L. Higginson as chairman, and after a two hours' conference, in which various plans for raising funds and distributing aid were discussed, the following appeal for funds was issued: "The undersigned, having been appointed a committee by his Honor Mayor Collins to provide fuel in such quantities as may be necessary for immediate use, and to deal with the whole fuel problem, at the present crisis, has decided to raise a guarantee fund for the purpose stated. The committee believes that the people who will suffer by the present and prospective high prices of coal are those whose incomes from salaries or wages are small or moderate. The committee feels that a guarantee fund should be raised and used only for buying fuel and selling the same to people of small or moderate incomes, and hopes to do so at the prices which they have been accustomed to pay in years past. All persons who contribute to this guarantee fund can feel assured that the committee will endeavor to prevent distress through unusual or exorbitant prices. When the work of the committee is completed, the unexpended balance will be returned to the donors pro rata. To enable the committee to act promptly it will be clear to all that subscribers should send their contributions to the guarantee fund without delay. Messrs. Lee, Higginson & Co. will act as treasurers. Henry L. Higginson, chairman; William H. Lincoln, Charles H. Taylor, Thomas B. Fitzpatrick, Amory A. Lawrence, Samuel P. Mandell, Benjamin F. Keith, Charles A. Campbell, Jacob H. Hecht, Wallace F. Robinson," \$25,000 has already been subscribed, Major Higginson heading the list with the munificent donation of \$10,000.

Expenditure in support of public schools is greater relatively in Boston than in any other large city in this country. Mr. Harvey S. Chase, the expert accountant employed by the mayor to examine the financial condition of the municipal departments, finds that the expenditure per capita of population is the highest in the land, that the average per pupil is greater and that the salaries paid teachers are higher. Just about one-seventh of the total annual cost of the city government goes for the school. Is this extravagance? The

people of Boston willingly spend money on their schools. They do not count the dollars if they see results. And there are reasons, deducible from Mr. Chase's figures, to believe that in many of the essential points of education we are getting what we pay for. It appears that by far the largest expenditure is upon the grammar schools and lower grades. The mass of the children of Boston, who do not reach the high schools or look for the higher education, get the benefit most extensively. Indeed, the ratio of expenditure in support of high schools is less than in other cities.

A huge nugget of anthracite coal for five years has served as a lure to attract householders and other people in need of fuel to the little coal store at E. Canton and Washington streets. Twenty-two hundred pounds of coal, all in a lump, was thought by its owner to be too much for even men driven to desperation by the long-drawn-out coal strike to handle, but the time came Sunday night, when this huge lump of anthracite was an irresistible temptation. It had been in place in a corner made by steps leading up to the front door of a dwelling, and the Washington street front of the building for upward of five years, having been brought on from the Pennsylvania mines with a cargo of fuel consigned to the F. C. Warren company, dealers in coal. Not until recently was this big lump contemplated with curious wonder, but since coal became scarce and consequently precious, eyes of householders have taken it in hungrily. Men, in passing on the surface cars, have speculated on the likelihood of an attempt being made some night to cart it away, and the attempt was finally made. Monday morning, when the coal office was opened the big nugget was half way from its former place of silent duty to the front door. Being of four-fold more value than when mined the company decided that it should no longer remain intact to tempt men to steal and it was carted away to the coal sheds, where sledge hammers were applied until it was in bits no larger than the nuggets known to the trade as furnace coal.

Observer.

NOW IS THE TIME TO GO HUNTING IN THE MAINE WOODS.

The hunting season has set in and the sportsmen who desire to follow in the chase during the next month or so will no doubt shape his course towards the Maine woods.

Leaving the Union station, Boston, and Maine Railroad, he can reach any section of the pine tree forests. He can journey to the Rangley region, or farther north to Moosehead or Katahdin; he can strike into Washington County, or away to the forest lands of New Brunswick and Newfoundland. He can traverse a country completely run with deer from the southern boundary of Maine to the Canada line.

In the Washington County, the Aroostook, Dead River and northern portions of Maine, moose enough to satisfy the most eager huntsman can be found. Penetrating into New Brunswick and the thick jungles of Newfoundland, vast herds of moose and caribou will be found roaming about.

If you are contemplating a trip into the Maine Woods or sections further on, send a two-cent stamp to the General Passenger Department, Boston and Maine Railroad, Boston, for their descriptive book "Fishing and Hunting". It describes the game territory in full and also contains a map of the game region of Maine.

NOTES FROM WASHINGTON.

(Special Correspondence.)

Took Another Tumble—While Postmaster-General Henry C. Payne was receiving a number of callers in the large room adjoining his private office the other day the centre picture in the upper row of 19 portraits of former postmasters-general which adorn one side of the room fell with a crash to the floor. Mr. Payne stepped forward to see what damage had been done, but was anticipated by Travus

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Ross, a colored usher who for nearly 30 years has been chief usher to the Postmaster-general. Ross picked up the picture, turned it towards the light, and, with a start of surprise, cried: "Why, it's the picture of Return Jonathan Meigs." Inquiry revealed that the picture of the postmaster-general from Ohio had a habit of falling from the wall frequently. The circular frame in which it is encased is quite heavy, and the picture, being hung near the floor, has never been seriously damaged. It has been noticed that the picture never falls except when there are prominent visitors in the room, and also that the chief usher is always on hand to pick up the frame. It has been noticed also that he never fails to give a start of surprise and say: "Why, it's the picture of Return Jonathan Meigs. Well, well, well. Excuse, but did you ever hear the story of Return Jonathan?"

Executive Clemency—Applications for pardon to the number of 315 were considered by the president during the last fiscal year, of which 181 were denied. The president exercised executive clemency in 134 cases. President Roosevelt's administration covers only a part of the last fiscal year, and it may be safely said that he has granted fewer pardons and denied more, relative to the number of applications made, than any president in recent years. During the fiscal year 1901 President McKinley acted on 343 cases, granting executive clemency in some form in 226 of these cases. He granted 107 pardons, two conditional pardons, 53 pardons to restore civil rights, commuted 50 sentences, remitted 10 fines and two forfeitures of recognizance and granted two reprieves. President McKinley acted favorably on 29 percent of all the cases disposed of during the year, or 66 percent of the cases submitted to him. President Roosevelt during the last year has acted favorably on only 19 percent of all the cases disposed of and 42 percent of the cases submitted to him.

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Water for Lexington.

The special town meeting Monday evening, adjourned from Sept. 8, was short without a large attendance. This meeting was called to consider the water supply.

A. S. Mitchell of the committee appointed in September to investigate the matter, read a report in which the committee recommends joining the metropolitan water system.

The town's supply has been inadequate for several summers, and two remedies have been suggested. The first is that the town purchase a tract of land, known as Roberts' meadow, from which test wells have shown that a promising quantity of good water can be obtained. The second is entering the metropolitan system.

The committee in its report recommended the latter plan on the ground that it will be much cheaper, saving the town about \$3000 a year, and that it will assure the town a sufficient supply. The water obtained from Roberts' meadow, as is shown by the committee's report, is not as pure as is desirable and is likely to grow worse with use.

The state board of health are of his opinion from the experience of many similar cases including the Arlington reservoir at East Lexington.

On motion of E. A. Bayley it was voted that the reports be printed and sent to every voter in town. Owing to the nature of the warrant, no action could be taken at this meeting looking toward entering the metropolitan system.

Another meeting will be called in a short time to take final action on the report.

LEXINGTON LOCALS.

Thomas F. Green, the barber, has equipped his shop with several new pieces of office furniture and show cases, the latter of which are well supplied with a choice line of cigars and smokers' articles. He is fitting up a parlor in the rear of the shop for ladies and children while waiting.

Mr. Read, the proprietor of the large farm in Burlington, noted for the "celebrated Reed Farm products," has disposed of the business and taken up his residence on Hancock street next to the Hancock-Clark house.

E. P. Merriam and family have returned from the Berkshire hills.

Amasa Walker and family have returned from their summer residence at North Brookfield.

Fred C. Earle, conductor on the Boston & Maine railroad, spent Sunday at North Thetford, Vt., with his mother.

Miss Mollie Wellington, daughter of Mr. Herbert Wellington of Oakland street, who has been ill for over a year, is improved to such an extent that she has been out for short walks the pleasant days of this week.

The senatorial convention was held in Endicott Hall, Waltham, Thursday. G. W. Sampson was chairman. The Lexington delegates were Alfred Pierce and G. C. McKay. O. F. Gove of Waltham, was nominated by acclamation. The delegation visited the Watch factory and was serenaded by the Watch Company band, after which a luncheon was served in Endicott hall.

On next Tuesday evening Dr. Francis H. Brown of Boston, president of the Massachusetts Society Sons of the American Revolution will be the speaker at the meeting of the Lexington Historical Society. His subject will be the old burying-ground at Lexington. This is the first meeting of the season.

The committee of the Monday club appointed to prepare a winter course of study has sent to each member a booklet containing subjects in American history from the French and Indian war to the civil war. The first meeting will be Oct. 27.

Simon W. Robinson Lodge, F. and A. M. will entertain District Deputy Charles Soley and suite of Somerville at the annual visitation Monday evening, Oct. 13.

Delegates R. I. Sherman and F. C. Jones attended the Fourth District Congressional convention at Fitchburg Thursday, when Hon. C. Q. Tirrell of Natick was re-nominated by acclamation.

In the decision of contests in connection with the reunion of St. Bridgid's parish the trip to Washington and the gold watch went to Arlington contestants, Mrs. Margaret Lynch and Mrs. McKay respectively. Mrs. John Daley won the \$5.00 prize.

Owing to the delay in arrival of trucks for the new cars already received the Lexington and Boston railway have been unable as yet to put the throughcar service to Sullivan Square, without change at Arlington Heights, into effect but it is confidently expected to be in operation by the beginning of another month.

"I hear you hope to make a great musician of your son." "Yes." "Whom have you selected to teach him?" "Oh, we haven't got that far yet. He's giving all his time now to the doctor, who guarantees to make his hair thick and luxuriant."

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth Little Baker late of Lexington in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frederick N. Tirrell of Hyde Park in the County of Norfolk without giving a surety in his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-first day of October A. D. 1902, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lexington ENTERPRISE a newspaper published in Lexington the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

No Red Tape in This.

On June 14, a well-known gentleman of Lexington, Mass., fell from a Motor Cycle and received injuries which laid him up for a few days.

He was insured against accident in the Maryland Casualty Co. but forgot to put in a claim until August 20.

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A Remarkable Fiddle.

An extraordinary fiddle, a relic from the front, has been brought home by a Yarmouth gunner, says Tit-Bits. "The body of the instrument has been fashioned from a meat tin, the finger-board and neck from an ax-handle, the bridge is a tent peg, and the tail a tent ring. Curious as is its structure, the fiddle provided merry music at many a campfire on the veldt.

Unjust weights and measures to the number of 63,950 were seized in London during the twelve months ended June 30 last.

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THE "STUDY" OF POETRY.

A Strong Protest Against It by John Burroughs.

Young men and young women actually go to college to take a course in Shakespeare or Chaucer, or Dante, or the Arthurian legends. The course becomes a mere knowledge course. My own first acquaintance with Milton was through an exercise in grammar. We parsed "Paradise Lost." Much of the current college study of Shakespeare is little better than parsing him. The class falls upon the text like hens upon a bone in winter; no meaning of word or phrase escapes them, every line is literally picked to pieces; but of the poet himself, of that which makes him what he is, how much do they get? Very little, I fear. They have had an intellectual exercise, and not an emotional experience. They have added to their knowledge, but have not taken a step in culture. To dig into the roots and origins of the great poets is like digging into the roots of an oak or a maple, the better to increase your appreciation of the beauty of the tree. There stands the tree in all its summer glory; will you really know it any better after you have laid bare every root and rootlet? There stand Homer, Dante, Chaucer, Shakespeare. Read them, give yourself to them, and master them if you are man enough. The poets are not to be analyzed, they are to be enjoyed; they are not to be studied, but to be loved; they are not for knowledge, but for culture—to enhance our appreciation of life and our mastery over its elements. All the mere facts about a poet's work are as chaff compared with the appreciation of one fine line or fine sentence. Why study a great poet at all after the manner of the dissecting room? Why not rather seek to make the acquaintance of his living soul, and to feel its power?—The Century.

MONKS AT MAR SABA.

A Grim Fortress Monastery on the Dead Sea.

The most awesome, most repellant dwelling place in the world is the grim fortress monastery of Mar Saba, on the Dead Sea, where thousands of monks live in grim and melancholy austerity.

These monks are the most rigorous of any in the Greek church. Their lives are passed in penance, with no hope of pleasure this side of the grave, and not one cheerful incident to brighten their existence. Day after day, amid gloomy surroundings, that would drive most men melancholy mad, they go through the same unvarying routine, and yet surrounding them are the remains of such true romances as only medieval times could produce.

Mar Saba is at the end of the barren Wady en Nor, or Kedron valley, near the Dead Sea, and its very location is enough to send a chill down one's spine. It is the only oasis in the wilderness of this region, a destroyed stronghold of the Crusaders and the tomb of a Nomad chieftain, that of Sheik Messiaf. The wearied traveler is glad to behold the fortress-like pile of the ancient monastery way down in the dark valley, even though he experiences a presentiment of some hidden danger lurking in that forbidden place. It is the most romantically situated monastery, the oldest and undoubtedly the most gruesome in the world. It is built on the abrupt terrace of a dizzy gorge, at the bottom of which, 600 feet below, the torrent Cedron seethes in winter. The rock falls away so perpendicularly that huge flying buttresses had to be constructed in order to afford the very moderate space occupied by the monastery.

In the early part of the fifth century it was inhabited by the Sabaites, an order of monks of whom San Sabas was the superior, and who also built the greater portion of the monastery. San Sabas was born about 439, in Capadocia, and at eight years of age, he entered this monastery, which was originally founded by Euthymius. As the reputation of San Sabas for sanctity increased, he was joined by a great number of anchorites, all of whom could not find shelter in his

monastery, and it is said that 10,000 of these holy men were living in rock caves in the mountain opposite.

Thousands of caves once inhabited by these hermits look from the side of the mountain, many having mosaic floors and decorations upon the walls, and the story has every semblance of truth. About 4000 monks inhabited the monastery proper, and in the seventh century the Persian hordes of Chosroes routed them all and plundered the monastery, and for centuries its wealth attracted marauders of all kinds. The last time it was pillaged was in 1832 and 1834 by Bedouins. After the very first attack it was fortified, just as it is today. Two castle-like towers which serve as battlements, are the first evidence the traveler has of the existence of the living tomb. One of the ponderous towers is of very picturesque lines.

The fair Empress Eudoxia built it in order to be close to her ideal of manhood—Euthymius. Euthymius was noted for his sanctity throughout Palestine, and his learning and great moral endowments attracted the empress. She loved him with great devotion, but Euthymius, true to his trust, refused to see her. When her devotion to him did not cease he fled to the Moabite desert, beyond the Jordan. The empress watched daily from the tower for his return. After much persuasion he was dragged back to the monastery by his companion, Theoctestus and the empress wept with joy. She remained there a few years longer, during which time she caught only a casual and infrequent glimpse of the object of her love. Finally she left the place with her court attendants, never to return. Now the tower is used as a "lookout," and a watchman is stationed there day and night, who scans the mountains and valleys far and wide to see whether any danger threatens the monastery.—London Telegraph.

"The Vegetable Beefsteak."

The notion, long held, that the mushroom presented the composition of animal flesh is rudely shattered. In one regard, at any rate, the mushroom does resemble a beefsteak—it contains practically the same amount of water. This fact, as ascertained by recent analyses, hardly justifies the mushroom being regarded as a "vegetable beefsteak." It may be a blow to the vegetarian, but he would have to consume at least ten pounds of mushrooms in order to gain the equivalent of a little over one pound of prime beef. Still, the tender mushroom is undoubtedly easily digestible, and it contains an unusual proportion of potassium salts. Few will deny that the mushroom is an excellent adjunct to many dishes; it has an appetizing flavor, and this quality alone makes it dietetically valuable.—London Lancet.

PEARLS OF THOUGHT.

The busy have no time for tears.—Byron.

Fame is the perfume of heroic deeds.—Socrates.

What frenzy dictates jealousy believes.—Gay.

Strong reasons make strong actions.—Shakespeare.

Whatever makes man a slave takes half his worth away.—Pope.

There is little influence where there is not great sympathy.—S. I. Prime.

Maxims are the condensed good sense of nations.—Sir J. Mackintosh.

Great talkers are like leaky vessels; everything runs out of them.—C. Simmons.

It is only reason that teaches silence; the heart teaches us to speak.—Richter.

A judicious silence is always better than truth spoken without charity.—De Sales.

Idleness is only the refuge of weak minds and the holiday of fools.—Chesterfield.

Waste of time is the most extravagant and costly of all expenses.—Theophrastus.

The world is full of hopeful analogies and handsome, dubious eggs called possibilities.—George Eliot.

Snakes in the United States.

There are four kinds of venomous serpents in the United States—the rattlesnake proper, the copperhead and the moccasin, the coral snake and the ground rattlesnake. The diamond rattlesnake and the copperhead are the most deadly. The former is undoubtedly the cause of more deaths from snake poisoning than any other in the United States. This is due to its large size—it grows not infrequently to seven feet in length and three inches in diameter—and to the great length of its fangs and the copious amount of venom it injects into wounds. Probably not more than 50 persons die of snake bite in the United States in any year. Perhaps 30,000 would be a fair estimate of the world's annual death rate from the bite of venomous snakes, notwithstanding the long and practically fruitless efforts of science to discover an antidote.—Chicago News.

In some German cities it is customary to fee street car conductors, who are thus enabled to add from \$4 to \$6 a month to their income.

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